

Where did this great universe come from? The Bible says, God ~~once~~ created the heaven and the earth. Even if we were to adopt the wide-spread ~~inter~~ present interpretation of this statement which is mentioned as only an introduction to the description of bringing of this present earth into its condition in the following verses, we have abundant evidence elsewhere in the Bible that it teaches that God did create the entire ~~of~~ heavens and dried into the condition in which we find it, and that he is manifesting his tremendous power through its ... today. Aside from the Bible, there is no way to determine where this universe came from, or how it came into being.

Moving from the evidence that leads the scientists believe that all galaxies are moving apart from one another at a tremendous rate, Lemaitre, a Belgian scientist, advanced a theory in 1931 that it all began with a solid mass ⁱⁿ which all the matter of the universe was packed together, and this mass ~~was~~ ^{had} suddenly exploded, and formed our present universe. ~~XXXX~~ As the theory was later refined, it ~~is~~ was believed that all the matter of the universe was condensed into one solid atom, into one small atom, which, as soon as it appeared, suddenly exploded. ^{then} Scientists have studied/ what would ~~happen~~ happen after this explosion, and ~~it~~ they worked out a theory that accounts for the formation of all the elements, the chemical elements which we find in the universe, within about half an hour after the explosion, from that time on, a great amount of gas, ~~was~~ mixed up elements of various combinations was rapidly flying apart and different parts ~~of~~ being attracted to one another, as different groups and parts of them are coagulated into galaxies, suns, and stars were founded, until eventually our present condition came into existence/ with ~~The~~ sun and various planets ~~are~~ revolving around it.

Gradually the planets cooled off, and the earth came into ~~existence~~ its present situation, as described in Genesis 1:2 and following.